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A Short Session.

OTTAWA 7.—Three weeks from today according to present arrangements, Parliament will meet, and the usual prognostications of a short session are made, this time, it is thought, with some probability of fulfillment, as Easter falls on the 21st of April, and the general impression is that prorogation will take place on the Wednesday or Thursday before, so as to avoid adjournment over the Easter holidays. The amount of legislation will probably be light. So far only about seventy notices of private bills have been given, including eight applications for divorce, and it is not likely that this number will be greatly increased. Some important public measures will no doubt be proposed by the Government, but there is no reason to suppose that any of these will be of a nature to provoke long discussion or strong opposition. There is, therefore, ground for the belief that the session will be a short one.

VANCOUVER, 14.—The steamer "Premier" was released from quarantine at Victoria yesterday with a clear bill of health, all the passengers and crew having been vaccinated and the ship disinfected. She arrived at Vancouver last night, but was refused permission to land by the Board of Health. This morning the steamer "Islander" took the passengers off the "Premier" and attempted to land them at the railway wharf, but was frustrated by the police. Several passengers attempted to land in small boats, but were driven back to the steamer. After several ineffectual attempts to land the passengers, the "Islander" landed the mails which were fumigated. The steamer will probably return to Victoria. The water front was lined with three thousand citizens determined to prevent the landing.

A Bitter Political Fight.

WINNIPEG 12.—A bitter fight is being waged in Provencher between Lariviere, conservative, and Richard, independent. At a public meeting in St. Agathe, last night, Cyr, one of the speakers, referred to Lariviere as an embazler, the chief liar, etc. Lariviere called him a liar, whereupon Cyr struck Lariviere, and a free fight ensued. The result was several broken heads. The English conservatives of Emerson have asked H. J. Clarke, ex-attorney-general of the province, to run, and he will probably accept.

The Telegraph Demoralized.

TORONTO 10.—Telegraphic communication with the east is still cut off, and the violent wind storm which prevailed last night will likely undo what has been done to restore it. Such a state of demoralization has not existed before in many years. Many signs have been blown down and several narrow escapes from death by being crushed under them are reported. The telegraph wires are down in all directions and the city is almost completely cut off from the outer world.

The National Park.

OTTAWA 12.—General Superintendent Whyte had an interview with Hon. Mr. Dewdney regarding protective regulations for the government National Park. Mr. Whyte says one individual cannot properly look after the various matters there, and favors the appointment of a board of commissioners whom he believes should be permitted to exclude undesirable characters from Canada's health resort.

The Alberta and Athabasca.

OTTAWA 12.—There seems to be little doubt about the commencement of operations on the Alberta and Athabasca Railway in the spring. If James Lloyd of London, now enroute to Calgary, is satisfied with the inspection of the country, the company which proposes to build the road will endeavor simultaneously to carry out a vast scheme of colonizing the land obtained as free grants from the government.

Would Split the Party.

WINNIPEG 11.—It is understood that at the annual meeting of the Liberal Association, an effort will be made to elect Mr. Luxton president of the Association. This action would be a direct slap in the face of Greenway and Martin, and would likely cause a split in the party.

Church and State.

QUEBEC 10.—It has just come out that there was trouble between Cardinal Taschereau and the Legislative authorities over the question of precedence at the opening of the legislature. The usual invitations were sent out to the cardinal and clergy. His Eminence wrote asking what seat would be reserved for him, and was told the first seat on the floor of the house. Thereupon the cardinal returned the invitation with a letter stating that the rules of the Church of Rome required the recognition of his rank, and such could only be secured by a position opposite that of the Queen's representative. This caused a stir in government circles, but after consultation with the minister and Lieutenant Governor, the cardinal gained his point, so now at official ceremonies in Quebec the cardinal of the Roman Catholic church ranks the same as the Queen's representative.

Up in the Millions.

NIAGARA FALLS, 11.—The foot and carriage bridge at the falls was blown into the river last night. The only portion left consists of the towers, cables and 50 feet of the body of the bridge on the Canadian side. A southwestern gale dealt dreadful destruction to valuable property. The loss in this vicinity including the bridge will reach \$700,000.

TORONTO, 11.—Reports go to show that the storm of yesterday was the most destructive in many years and was general throughout the Western States, Canada and the new England States. The damage will reach away up in the millions.

A Porter's Revenge.

MONTREAL 15.—Joseph Chandler, an ex-sweeping car porter on the C. P. R. in a spirit of revenge for being refused work, pulled out a revolver and shot Mr. J. J. St. Field, superintendent of the company's Pullman and Dining Car service. The bullet entered the breast and Mr. St. Field is not expected to live till morning. Chandler, who served in the Red River rebellion under Major Walsh, was arrested.

Lucas & Aird's Representative.

OTTAWA 10.—Mr. Drummond left for Winnipeg tonight, accompanied by Mr. James Lloyd, representative for Lucas & Aird, the largest railway contractors in the world. He will inspect the Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle and Alberta and Athabasca railways and if his report is favorable, Lucas & Aird will undertake the construction of both roads next year.

Our Express Office.

WINNIPEG 15.—The Free Press says the report in the Calgary papers that the express company are about to change the dividing run between Winnipeg and Vancouver from Calgary to Medicine Hat is entirely without foundation. It is the intention of the company to leave the run as it is at present.

Exemption For Workmen's Houses.

TORONTO 12.—A deputation of citizens waited on premier Mowat last night to present a petition for exemption from taxation of buildings up to the value of \$600. The object is to encourage workmen to own houses themselves. Mowat said the matter would be brought up next session.

Is the Session to be Postponed?

OTTAWA 10.—The rumor was circulated here today in political circles that parliament would not meet until the first of March, owing to some further negotiations in respect to the fisheries question. No confirmation of the news could be had.

Unwilling to Sacrifice Themselves.

WINNIPEG 15.—Richard, independent candidate in Provencher, announces himself as a supporter of the government. The liberals met last night to nominate a man but none of the faithful were willing to sacrifice themselves.

Don't Want Lariviere.

WINNIPEG, 9.—The Provencher Conservative Association has decided to repudiate Lariviere's candidature. N. Chiver, merchant of Winnipeg will be the nominee of the party. Leacock has dropped out.

Sir Richard Re-Elected.

TORONTO, 9.—Sir Richard Cartwright was re-elected president of the Reform Club today.

Winnipeg Notes.

WINNIPEG 10.—The Conservative Association met last night but adjourned for two weeks owing to the small number present.

Samuel Spink was yesterday elected president of the grain exchange at the annual meeting.

His Life was a Burden.

OTTAWA, 14.—Phillip Bougarie, a young man from Montreal, shot and killed himself at the Montreal House last night. He had just been married and left a letter stating life was a burden, after the discovering that his wife was a disreputable character.

Canada's Grand Old Man.

OTTAWA 11.—Today being the 74th anniversary of Sir John Macdonald's birthday, the Premier was the recipient of congratulatory telegrams from all quarters. Some lady friends in the city sent baskets of flowers.

A Blood-Thirsty Duel.

LOUISVILLE, Que., 12.—Two young men named Charpentier and Truckette, admirers of Miss Cunningham, fought a blood-thirsty and barbarous duel Wednesday, resulting in Charpentier being almost killed. His rival fled.

Presentation to Rev. T. W. Jeffrey.

TORONTO, 9.—Last night about 1,500 citizens attended the presentation of an illuminated address and purse of \$1,000 to Rev. T. W. Jeffrey, ex-pastor of the Western Methodist Church.

More Elections in Quebec.

MONTREAL, 6.—The writ for the new elections in Laprairie and Montreal Centre have been issued. The nominations will take place on the 17th and voting on the 24th.

The Railway War Ended.

WINNIPEG 11.—The Canadian Pacific yesterday removed the obstructions placed over the Red River Valley grade at the southwestern crossing. This ends the railway war.

Striking Miners.

VICTORIA 11.—The miners employed at the Wellington mines who have refused to go to work, have been ordered to vacate the houses in which they have been living. Trouble is anticipated.

Chiniquy.

MONTREAL 12.—At a meeting of the Montreal presbytery, the Rev. Father Chiniquy was received into the presbytery of Montreal as a missionary and given full status as a member thereof.

An Ex-Pastor's Trial.

TORONTO, 11.—The trial of Rev. T. W. Jeffrey, lately pastor of the Western Methodist Church, by the church court commenced this afternoon. It was held with closed doors.

Canadian Cotton for Japan.

OTTAWA 14.—Two hundred car loads of cotton goods from the Hochelaga Cotton Mills of Montreal have arrived here en route to Japan by way of Vancouver.

A Horrible Tragedy Reported.

WINDSOR, Ont., 11.—It is reported that six colored men brutally beat three white men, choppers, last night, one being killed and his body hidden.

The Coachman Chase Again.

MONTREAL 12.—Jennie Stuart, daughter of a wealthy New York broker, arrived here this morning, having eloped with her father's coachman.

Gone Into Business.

TORONTO 14.—Thos. Axworthy, ex city treasurer of Cleveland, who left that city half a million dollars short, has gone into business here.

A Labor Candidate.

MONTREAL 12.—The labor organizations have nominated John F. Redmond as labor candidate in Montreal Centre.

Stamped Out.

OTTAWA 12.—Dr. McEachran reports that the disease existing among Alberta cattle has been stamped out.

Montagu the Party's Choice.

CATUGA 12.—The Haldimand conservatives have renominated Montagu as their candidate.

The Backbone of the Strike Broken.

VICTORIA 15.—The backbone of the Wellington coal mine strike is virtually broken. About forty men returned to work today. The balance will probably return in a day or two.

The Banff Mines.

OTTAWA, 15.—Private advices state the organization of a company with over a million sterling capital to work the Banff coal mines has been completed.

Joliette Nominations.

MONTREAL 11.—Guibault, conservative and Niveu, nationalist, were nominated yesterday for the commons in Joliette.

Chapleau Much Worse.

OTTAWA, 11.—The private cable from Paris reports Chapleau's condition is much worse after the recent operation.

The Pacific Mail Steamer.

VICTORIA 12.—The steamship Parthia arrived from Yokohama with a number of passengers today.

Pacific Cable Scheme.

OTTAWA 14.—It is rumored here that the Pacific cable scheme has fallen through.

Greenway Goes East.

WINNIPEG 15.—Premier Greenway left for Toronto last night on immigration matters.

The First Immigration Train.

WINNIPEG 15.—The first colonist train leaves Toronto for Manitoba February 26th.

Mercier's Candidate.

MONTREAL, 15.—H. J. Cloran will be the Mercier candidate in Montreal Centre.

The Governor.

REGINA 15.—Mr. Royal returned from Ottawa tonight.

Mr. Royal.

OTTAWA, 14.—Mr. Royal has left for Regina.

FOREIGN.

Revolt and Murder.

ZANZIBAR, 11.—News of a revolt attended with wholesale murder, has reached here from Uganda in King Mewanga's country on Lake Albert Nyanza, south of Emin Bey's province. In October last, King Mewanga plotted to destroy his entire body guard by enticing them to an island in Lake Tova, abandoning them to starve. The men of the guard, forewarned, however, refused to do his (Mewanga's) bidding; but instead returned to the capital and attacked Mewanga. Mewanga fled in alarm and his brother Kievwana was proclaimed King by the tribe. Kievwana, however, gave great offence by appointing Christians to the principal offices in the kingdom. This enraged the Arabs, who murdered many of the Christian officers, forcing the King to replace them with Mohammedans. The Arabs then completed their work by burning the English and French mission stations, killing many of the native converts. The missionaries, who fled from Uganda, reached Gambols in safety. An accident happened to one of the mission boats near Eleanor. The boat was overturned and sunk by a hippopotamus and a number of letters for Emin Bey and Stanley destroyed. Mewanga is now a prisoner at Naga, from which place he has appealed to the English missionaries for assistance. The Arabs are rejoicing over the whole occurrence and have written a letter to one of the missionaries, Mr. McKay, exulting in the triumph and prophesying the extinction of all the missionaries in Central Africa, in revenge for England's anti-slavery policy. Uganda has been proclaimed a Mohammedan kingdom.

Germany in Africa.

BERLIN 10.—Official despatches from Apia confirm the report that on the 18th the Germans were proceeding to Lanly, Matanfas, the principal position, with the intention of negotiating with and disarming the insurgents in consequence of the destruction by them of German property. Insults were offered to the German sailors, who were attacked by a party of rebels, led by an American named Klein. More German troops and marines have landed, and there has consequently been some severe fighting. The natives were repelled and several native villages were destroyed. In an engagement Lieutenant Sieger and 15 men were killed, and Lieutenant Shengler and Burchard and 36 men wounded.

The Irish Land War.

DUBLIN, 9.—The evictions on the Oliphert estate in Donegal today were attended with a series of exciting scenes. The house of Blacksmith O'Donnell was strongly barricaded, the bailiffs were repulsed and then the police attempted to capture the place. Sergeant MacCormie was disabled by being wounded with a pitchfork in the cheek and leg and a rock on the head with a stone. Ringing cheers greeted each successful repulse. Finally the soldiers having been ordered to fire on the besieged, on the advice of Father Stephens, surrendered. Ten persons were arrested. The defenders were cheered by a large crowd. Father McFadden was among the spectators and joined in the cheering.

Six evictions were accomplished yesterday on the estate of Colonel Tattenham at Dungess town. The tenants offered no resistance. One hundred soldiers and 100 police, accompanied by an army surgeon, were present at the evictions. The evictions on the Oliphert estate at Falcarragh have been concluded. The house of a man named Curran, was strongly fortified but the occupants yielding to the entreaties of the priests surrendered and were arrested.

An Ovation to Chamberlain.

LONDON 10.—A grand banquet and reception was given in the Birmingham town hall last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain. The hall was magnificently decorated and the floral display was grand and costly. Mrs. Chamberlain gracefully bowed her thanks for the ovation. An address was presented to Mr. Chamberlain accompanied by several valuable presents, and to Mrs. Chamberlain was given a brooch fashioned in the form of a star containing 55 diamonds, the gift of the women of Birmingham. Mr. Chamberlain thanked those present for the honor conferred upon him, and in the course of his speech alluded to his wife's English ancestry. While she would not cease to love America, he said he knew that she was prepared to take up life in England. He referred to the friendliness of the people of Birmingham for America, and quoted the utterances of Mr. John Bright in testimony thereof. A serious quarrel with America would be the greatest national calamity. Differences, he said, were bound to arise, but the Democratic spirit of both countries would always compel an amicable adjustment.

T. F. O'Connor on Irish Matters.

LONDON 4.—T. F. O'Connor's Star expresses the opinion in its issue of today that the present situation in Ireland is more serious than at any other time since the passage of the Land Act in 1881. "It is quite evident from the recent report made by the Irish land commission," the Star says, "that Irish matters have taken an entirely new phase. The old land commission has disappeared, and, instead, we have a body in which the Tory land agent reigns supreme declaring in favor of a produce rent, i.e., a rent based on the price of produce, pure and simple, without slightest regard to yield. Thus tenants are hopelessly deceived, and will probably now strike against paying judicial rents."

Strongly Depreciated.

LONDON 12.—Dr. Fream's report on Canadian agriculture, to be issued next week by the government, will be sure to attract much attention. Dr. Fream strongly deprecates the movement against the abolition of the cattle quarantine in the Northwest, and says, "abolish it and the British market will be closed against Canadian live stock." In regard to butter Dr. Fream urges the Canadians to first supply the home demand for first class butter before trying to compete in the British markets. He reports gratifying progress in Quebec, in the cheese industry. He laments the abolition of the Manitoba Bulletin as most harmful to Manitoban interests in Great Britain. He speaks hopefully of the probable progress of the apple trade with Great Britain.

Earthquakes in South America.

SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, (via Galveston), Jan. 3.—Costa Rica was the scene, December 29 and 30, of serious earthquake shocks. At Alajuela eight persons were killed and many injured. Churches and the principal buildings in the city suffered considerable damage. The inhabitants escaped out of doors for two days. No further shocks have been felt.



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FARM, FIELD AND GARDEN.

PRACTICAL NOTES ON TOPICS THAT INTEREST LIVE FARMERS.

When Milk is Ready for the Churn.—The General Modes of Churning: Sweet Cream, Sour Cream and Whole Milk Considered.

The idea still prevails to a considerable extent that milk should sour before butter can be made from it. This is an error. Numerous trials have shown that sweet milk and sweet cream yield butter as much and as easily as sour cream, provided these have stood for some time at medium temperature. It is difficult, if not impossible, to bring butter from fresh milk or from thin cream that gathers upon milk kept cold for twenty-four hours.

Readiness for churning, as good an authority as Professor S. W. Johnson, depends chiefly upon the time that has elapsed since milking and the temperature to which it has been exposed in the pails. The colder it is the longer it must be kept. At medium temperature—60 degs to 70 degs Fahrenheit—it becomes suitable for the churn in twenty-four hours, or before the cream has entirely risen. Access of air appears to hasten the process. The souring of the milk or cream has directly little to do with preparing them for the churn. Its influence is, however, otherwise felt, as it causes the casein to pass beyond that gelatinous condition in which the latter is inclined to foam strongly at low temperature, and by enveloping the fat globules hinders their joining together. On churning cream that is very sour the casein separates in a fine, granular state that does not interfere with the "gathering" of the butter.

Churning cream when slightly sour, as is the custom in the Holstein dairies, yields butter of a peculiar and fine aroma. Butter made from sour cream is destitute of this aroma, and has the taste which the Holstein butter acquires after keeping some time. Stirring of cream does not promote souring, but rather hinders it by increasing access of air; it may be advantageous in making the souring uniform.

It has been claimed, with some reason, that churning the whole milk makes more butter than to set the milk and churn the cream. Very good butter may be made from churning whole milk, but it is more difficult to make than from the cream. Willard advises, for a choice article of fine color, full of aroma and of long keeping qualities, setting the milk and churning the cream. A temperature of about 65 degs or a little above appears to be the best for churning whole milk, but the usual temperature employed is from 60 to 65 degs.

Destroying Ants in the Apiary.

Professor Cook is credited with recommending the following for destroying ants in the apiary: Find their nest and make a hole in the center of it with a trowel or a small rod, then turn in a full quart of kerosene, and immediately fill the hole with a little clay, which will be trampled down. The ants will perish, and kill all the ants. The kerosene is very inflammable, so it must be used, either the liquid or the solid.

Notes.

The average of Europe is considerably above.

American incorporated apples are largely sold in Germany.

Heavy losses have occurred to cranberry growers from the severe frosts.

Prospects for increased apple exports from America this year are encouraging.

In Kansas drought has caused a severe decline in the condition of the corn crop.

Milling frosts have done great damage to a corn crop in many sections of the country.

The general average of oats at time of harvest was four points lower than at the last report.

The prospect appears to be that the oat crop of the country will fully equal the large crop of 1885.

H. H. Jacobs, who is assured from experience that the incubator has come to stay, nevertheless advises those who contemplate using it to begin in a small way and learn how before attempting to do a large business.

A Maine farmer says: "From experience continued through many years we are still surprised each haying season by the better staying qualities of the grass whose stock is entirely kept off and never more surprised than this present year. It is not good practice to feed grass fields."

One of the troubles which cheese makers have to contend with is a floating curd. There are numerous ways of treating floating curds, but the main points to be observed are: Draining the whey early, developing an acid, exposure of the curd to the atmosphere a long time and grinding in a curd mill.

Things Worth Knowing.

The dust bath is the toilet of the hen.

Keep tools handy and in good condition.

A ration of equal parts bran and corn meal is good for the growing hog.

Georgia farmers cultivate the Spanish peanut extensively as food for hogs.

Sheep are better scavengers for small, unripe, wormy apples than swine are, it is claimed.

It is claimed that every year sees an increase in the number of farmers who pick corn for seed as soon as it is glazed.

A good top dressing of manure on the little mounds and poor spots of the field after winter grain is sown will have a good effect.

Wash dairy utensils, pans, pails and vats carefully with cold water, in which is a little salt or soda; then rinse, and thoroughly scald with hot water.

French farmers report very beneficial results from the use of copperas solution as a manure on strawberries, pears, lettuce, peas, beans, carrots and vines.

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Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between J. B. Kelly & Henry Collins, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and to be paid by the firm shall be paid by J. B. Kelly. J. B. KELLY, HENRY COLLINS, Witnesses: WM. C. MARTIN, H. B.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and A. J. Ellis has been dissolved, and all monies due the said firm must be paid to J. G. FITZGERALD, Calgary, Nov. 27th '88. J. G. FITZGERALD.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given of the intention of the applicants hereinafter named, to the Lieutenant Governor of the Northwest Territories, under the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, for the issue of letters patent to incorporate a Company to be known as THE TURF CLUB ASSOCIATION, (LIMITED).

The object for which incorporation is sought is the promotion and encouragement of horse racing and the acquiring of such property, real and personal, as may be necessary for the purposes of a proper turf association. The chief place of business within the said Territories of the proposed Company will be the Town of Calgary. The proposed amount of capital stock is \$10,000.00. The number of shares is 150, and the amount of each share \$100.00.

The names, addresses, and calling of the said applicants who are also to be the first or provisional directors of the Company are John Lineham, Calgary, Stock-Dealer; Geo. K. Leeson, Contractor, Calgary; James Kelly, Calgary, Hotel Proprietor; the said parties all being residents of Canada.

Calgary, July 11th, 1888.

GEORGE MURDOCH, Secretary Alberta Turf Club Association.

LOUGHEED & MCCARTHY, Advocates for Applicants.

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ERNEST J. CHAMBERS,
Editor and Manager.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1889.

THREE CHARACTERISTIC STORIES

As noticed in the HERALD's telegraphic despatches, Sir John A. Macdonald made a characteristic speech at the Toronto Board of Trade banquet on the fourth inst. To be characteristic of Sir John, the speech would require to be embellished with pointed stories; and so it was. The Toronto papers containing full accounts of the speeches are to hand, and the veteran premier's oration is found to have the usual stock of anecdotes. Two of these were particularly good. Speaking of the senate he remarked: "And with respect to having a second chamber I would only call your attention to an anecdote told about Gen. Washington, who was an Englishman at heart and a lover of the constitution. On one occasion he was discussing with Mr. Jefferson the question of the advisability of having a second chamber. Mr. Jefferson was in love with the French system then in force, where they had one chamber, only one convention, and a pretty mess they made of it. 'What is the use of a second chamber?' said Jefferson to the General. The General was then taking a cup of tea with Lady Washington. 'Why, you proved the use of a second chamber this morning.' 'How?' 'You have two chambers in your hand—you have the cup and the saucer. In the one chamber it was too hot for you, and you poured it into the second chamber to cool it.'

Of course the premier had to refer to the agitation in the United States in favor of the annexation of Canada and this is how he did it: "I don't think that we should be at all annoyed at an effort to get us to join the States. It is a compliment that is paid to Canada and a testimony as to its value. Let me tell you an anecdote which was told to me by my respected friend, Sir William Howland. He told me that a good many years ago he was traveling from Windsor by the Great Western Railway eastward, and before him were sitting two Americans—his own countrymen, as you know. And he could not help listening to the conversation. Those two were paying their first visit to Canada. After looking out of the windows one said, 'This is not a bad country.' Then the other said, 'This is a pretty good country.' Then a little further on one said: 'This is a rather good country,' but a little further on, 'This is a very good country.' I could make it a little more spicy. [Laughter.] At last says one of them, 'This is a very good country and we must have it.' 'Well,' said the other, 'I wouldn't mind having the country only we would be obliged to take the internal people too.'

Lord Stanley, the Governor General came out as a spinner of yarns, upon the same occasion. Speaking of the cool way in which American politicians decide among themselves as to Canada's future, His Excellency remarked: "And when I see how calmly our affairs are to be disposed of without reference to ourselves, I confess that one can hardly look upon such matters in a passive phase, and I feel reminded of an anecdote which was told some hundred years ago about the two Shermans, the father and the son. 'Tom,' said the parent to the son one day, 'it is about time for you to be taking a wife.' The son responded: 'Yes sir, certainly, whose shall I take?' And it seems to me that there is very little sense or regard shown of the proprietary in the one case more than in the other, under the circumstances to which I refer."

A FARMER'S MARKET.

The advisability of establishing a farmer's market in Calgary has several times been pointed out but we appear no nearer witnessing the accomplishment of the project than when the necessity was first felt. As the town increases and the country becomes settled up, the necessity for the establishment of a market is more apparent. As things are at

present, there is a profitless competition between the produce merchants and those country people who prefer to market their own produce and peddle it about town. While the present system is certainly profitable for all those engaged in the sale of produce it is doubly so for the farmers who through lack of time or inclination do not play the role of peddlers and dispose of their produce to the butchers and produce merchants. The farmer of course has to sell his stuff to a merchant cheaper than if dealing directly with the consumer, but as the middle man has to make his profit on it, it is too frequently retailed to his customer at a much higher rate than the producer could afford to sell it at. In this way both producer and consumer suffer pecuniary loss. Until a market is established, providing quotable values, the produce trade of the town must be unsatisfactory to both producers and consumers. Apart from this actual monetary consideration altogether, the convenience a market would be to all concerned is a powerful argument in favor of its establishment. If we had a public market, the thrifty matron, instead of having to ramble over half the town in search of the wherewithal to judiciously and economically furnish her pantry and cellar, probably to be disappointed after all, would be able in a few minutes, at a public market, to secure exactly the supplies she wanted, and at what she can easily satisfy herself are fair prices.

This matter is such an important one that it is most sincerely to be hoped that the new council will as soon as installed, take steps towards filling this pressing want. There appears no reason why any great expense should be incurred in carrying this project out. A rough platform similar to a station landing, with some sort of a shed over it should fill the bill. It would certainly be advisable, if possible, to secure a more central site for the market than the land purchased for the purpose; but even if it had to be established there, it would be better there than nowhere. We see no reason, however, why a better site could not be secured, and that is one reason why the matter should be taken up at once, for the longer it is put off, the more difficult will it be to procure a desirable site. It is to be hoped that the HERALD's readers will urge the necessity of prompt action in this matter, upon their representatives in the council.

EDUCATION IN THE TERRITORIES.

The third annual report of the Board of Education appears to merit more attention than it has so far received from the press. A system of education having an age and growth of three years, and that growth the first on a new soil, would not, ordinarily, be expected to furnish material for a very elaborate report; yet the document referred to—of 120 pages—contains a detailed account of a variety of matters relating to the operation of our school system for the year ending March 31, 1888, together with a partial report for the summer term, ending October 31 last. The latter is merely a list of schools in operation for the term, and attendance and name of teacher, a valuable supplement to the more complete report. It is to be regretted that the necessary data could not have been in the hands of the secretary in time for a complete report of last term. The interest felt in statistics of past progress is vital in proportion as they link closely the past to the passing present, and to the prospects of the coming future. The inspiration of the very encouraging comparison of facts in this report, with those of former ones, is partially lost in the gap over which we are obliged to read from our standpoint of the present. When our Parliament shall assemble in the first, instead of the latter part of the year, this gap will, no doubt be narrowed.

A table of comparative estimates and expenditures for the two past years, and estimates in detail for the coming year together with a table of the names and limits of school districts, and names of trustees are now features and very valuable additions. The late examination papers form a considerable part of the pamphlet and will be of service to those preparing for the Board's next examination for teacher's certificates.

The increasing number of children to be educated, and consequently of schools necessary for their accommodation, the increased expenditure of money, the more complete organization and equipment of schools, as inferred from the report, all point to progress, whose rate in this important part of public service seems fully equal to that in any other. As in enterprises much more circumscribed in their influence than this which we are considering, so in this, development and excellence are different aspects in

which to view progress; yet in this our standard of excellence must itself be a part of the system, and its place in the van keep pace with the whole movement. The report is a clear and concise presentation of the school statistics of the Territories for the period named, and is an index of the painstaking efforts of the very efficient secretary of the Board of Education.

PLENTY OF LAND FOR SETTLERS IN ALBERTA.

There can be no doubt but that our contemporary the Macleod Gazette is doing incalculable damage to Alberta in retarding immigration, by its continued wall over the locking up of land in the big cattle leases. The liberal press of Eastern Canada is always ready to pounce upon every scrap of news in any way reflecting upon the Northwest. This country was opened up by the conservative government of Sir John and they staked their tenure of power upon the prospects of its development. This is itself sufficient to make every liberal paper and every liberal politician in the Eastern provinces jealous of the progress of this country and they do all they can to retard it. It is so rarely to be wondered at then, that the reports as to the cattle leases closing the country to settlement have been published and republished with a view to preventing immigration to Alberta. There are probably not half a dozen readers of the leading liberal papers in the East but who imagine that the whole of Alberta is sealed up in cattle leases and that it is as firmly closed to settlement as until recently was the Celestial Empire. Thoughtful people in this country have all along dreaded this result of the Gazette's agitation, and we find a correspondent of the Lethbridge News, signing himself "Homesteader," thus hauling our Macleod contemporary over the coals:—

"I read a letter in the Macleod Gazette last week, that says we can't get any settlers in the country until we cancel all the leases."

Now, Mr. Editor, I have got a nice little farm of 32 acres of good land as a man wants to see; and I know thousands of acres up about Macleod and Pincher Creek that any man can have for the asking—leased or not.

If the Gazette man is in solid earnest, why don't he say something about the land that is open to settlement, and about the leaseholders who have given permission to settlers to locate, instead of always talking about the trouble a settler has to find land? Why, Mr. Editor, I said so. There is lots of land, and if I knew any parties wanting to come here and settle, I would write and tell them to come; that there's thousands of acres, and that this business about leases is all nonsense."

STOCKMEN AND THE RAILWAY.

A Maple Creek correspondent writes:— "At last action is to be taken by a prominent cattle owner of this range to endeavor to make the C. P. R. recompense him for cattle killed on their line of railway. During the past few years a large number of cattle in the aggregate have been destroyed on this range by trains running into them. At first the owners endeavored to secure payment from the officers of the road, but in every case were unsuccessful, and not feeling inclined to incur the expense of a prolonged lawsuit, abandoned their efforts, but now we hope to see a change steal over the horizon of our stock interests. The party who is taking hold of this is one who is not likely to let the matter rest until it is finally settled by the courts of this country, whether our principal source of wealth is to be damaged as heretofore, or if we are to be protected against the inroads into our most important industry by a company like the C. P. R. Although we recognize and appreciate the advantages to this country by the construction of the great trans continental line, we cannot always quietly submit to having our capital destroyed before our very eyes and be unable to obtain any recompense. Now, it behooves every stockman in the Northwest Territory to bestir himself and aid this enterprising 'brother stock owner' in his efforts to obtain right for the stockmen of this cattle raising portion of our Dominion."

A NEW MATRIMONIAL SCHEME.

Labouchere, the erratic editor of London Truth, has another fad on hand. His heart has been touched by the loneliness of the great host of maiden ladies in England, and he proposes to place them in a position, where they can assume the aggressive in bringing the bold, bad, unseemly bachelor to time—and the matrimonial altar. The great radical journalist explains his scheme in this way:—

"There are over a million girls in England, who are not likely to get married. In order to remedy this state of things I would suggest that the girls should be allowed to propose—in fact, that the

courtship and proposing should henceforward be a business appertaining equally to both sexes. There are a number of young men who are shy. They have vague and general ideas of marrying, yet cannot screw up their courage to the sticking point. These, were the road to matrimony made easy to them, would succumb. If, in addition to this, parents would have the sense to leave their daughters the same amount as their sons, and would but let their intentions in this respect be known, they would speedily reduce the number of girls at present condemned to single life."

We shall next hear of the British bachelors organizing some sort of a mutual protection association. It will be a serious matter for the shy young men, when the elderly maiden ladies receive letters of marque to pry upon his bashfulness.

EMERGED FROM THE VILLAGE STATE.

As the HERALD predicted at the time of the return of the town council by acclamation, it is being recognized by the outside world that Calgarians can sink party differences when the welfare of the community demands it. The Westminster, B. C., "British Columbian," for instance commenting on the HERALD's article on the election, remarks:— "We are not acquainted with the particular circumstances under which our neighbor city of the prairies returned a council by acclamation, and must take our contemporary's word for it that the action was justifiable and highly commendable; but Calgary is to be congratulated; if not envied, if it has really reached that stage in its career when its citizens can bring themselves to forget past differences and rise superior to those bitter factional prejudices which have prevailed in the past," greatly to the disadvantage of any town. Calgary may now be said to have fairly emerged from the village stage for it is that stage that petty differences and bitter factional prejudices in public matters belong, and until these are laid aside, or have been outgrown, very little satisfactory progress can be looked for. Some towns of greater age and larger pretensions than Calgary have not yet got rid of their swaddling clothes in this respect, but the indications are all favorable for such a happy consummation. 'Tis devoutly to be wished that it may not be long delayed."

A PRINCESS'S CHARITY.

Those characteristics of frugality and benevolence which have endeared so many of the Queen's sons and daughters to the more humble class of her Majesty's subjects are being developed in her grandchildren. We read in an English exchange that the Princess Maud of Wales spends most of her allowance in charity. Lately, however, there have been so many demands upon the young lady's exchequer that she has hit upon an expedient for replenishing it. She makes a habit of gathering up all the peacock feathers that are dropped by the great flocks of peafowl at Sandringham, and these she weaves into fans and fire-screens to be sold at charity fairs. The fact that they are made by a Princess, and also that they are very pretty and tastefully done, gives them a considerable value, and she reaps from them a neat little sum for her pet pensioners. The story is a pretty one, and should serve as an incentive to the charitably disposed of more modest means than the fair young Princess.

BRAVO FOR THE BRIGADE.

But for the efficiency and promptitude of the fire brigade, the Church of the Redeemer would have been a pile of ashes to-day. Of such a dangerous nature was the fire that called out the brigade Sunday afternoon, that a few seconds delay in getting the extinguishing apparatus to work would have meant the destruction of the church. Thanks to the promptitude of the brigade and the excellent state of the apparatus, the loss will only amount to a few cents. This should go some way towards convincing the insurance people that they are making a mistake in rating Calgary risks so high, on the assumption that our fire protective service is defective. Nothing but praise for the brigade is heard on the streets to-day.

BENEFITS OF A MARKET.

One of the HERALD's readers has drawn attention to the fact that in several towns in Ontario the establishment of public markets has resulted in an increase of the amount of business transacted in all trades. The other day the Orangeville papers published statistics showing that the volume of business transacted in that town has very materially increased since the establishment of a market. On the

two market days, every week, the town is filled with country people, and the business men of the town find their business steadily increasing. There is no reason why the establishment of a public market should not have as beneficial a result in Calgary.

ALL SORTS OF THINGS

The people in Eastern Canada do not appear to be particularly infatuated with the annexation fad to judge by the overwhelming defeat of Sol White, ex-member of parliament, in the Windsor municipal elections the other day. Out of a total vote polled of 1,500, only 38 ballots were cast for the annexationist, and he is, in his own way, a clever man.

A despatch from Utah says that "Abraham Hunsaker, a prominent Mormon, is dead, aged 76. He leaves fifty children and 130 grandchildren. It is a pity that the public craze for statistics is not further gratified by an addition to the despatch announcing how much the price of crape has advanced in Utah since the demise of the late lamented Mr. Hunsaker."

Minnie Palmer, the pretty little American soubrette is credited with having a keen appreciation of art. The other day, while interviewing her, a newspaper reporter with characteristic weakness for hard facts, blandly put the question, "What age are you?" "Oh, just the average age," replied the little actress. The reporter was making a desperate effort to discover what the average age of woman is, before noticing the joke.

Queen Victoria is a very hard worker. She breakfasts at 9 and then spends the morning dictating letters to her secretary. At 2 p. m. she takes luncheon then holds a court ceremony, and afterwards indulges in a short drive. She does not dine until 9 p. m. As her mail is enormous, she really gets through a vast deal of work in a day. Taken altogether Her Majesty's position is no sinecure.

An American exchange says,—"There are hundreds of business men who like to get near a great advertising house who never themselves advertise. They like to do their work by the light of their enterprising neighbor's candle. Such men never build up a city or take a part in its life. If they make money their heirs at law after the funeral, hunt for it amid broken pots, and find it stowed away in old stockings."

Canada apparently has good reason to be satisfied with its share of British immigration last year. The British Board of Trade emigration returns for the past year are just completed. They show a remarkable steadiness in the total exodus, the numbers being 280,088 as compared with 281,487 in 1887. There is a marked decline in emigration to the United States and Australia; the former decreased 5,566, and the latter 2,961. The emigration to Canada on the other hand increased 3,000.

This year an attempt will be made to annex Brooklyn to New York. The U. S. metropolis will then have about 2,500,000 inhabitants and by the next census will run Paris closely for second place in the ranks of the world's cities. New York's growth has been rapid; but statistics recently published, show that the increase of both Toronto and Montreal during the past year has been, in proportion to their population, much greater than the increase in not only New York, but any other of the great American cities.

TERRITORIAL.

Sir John Kaye's Scheme.

OTTAWA, 9.—Sir John Lester Kaye had an interview with Mr. Dewdney today and informed him that his company had decided to purchase outright 50,000 acres of land which the company had applied for. Sir John L. Kaye leaves for England to-night.

REGINA, 8.—Godin, the Montana murderer, is yet at the barracks here, and as by the late election in Montana Sheriff Hathway lost his office, and the extradition warrant is not transferable, his successor, Sheriff Jeffrey's, will have to go through the legal proceeding again before the prisoner can be conveyed to American territory.

Queen vs Braden:—The defendant was charged with having liquor in his possession. He is the driver of the Calgary stage, and claims that he did not know what were the contents of the packages he was carrying as express matter. The case came up before Major Steele on Monday morning, and was adjourned until Saturday to admit of the defendant getting witnesses from Calgary.—Macleod Gazette.

Commissioner Herchmer.
REGINA, 15.—Commissioner Herchmer leaves today for Ottawa accompanied by Mrs. Herchmer. During his absence Lieut.-Col. Herchmer, of Calgary, will command.

Alberta & Athabasca Road.
OTTAWA, 9.—C. S. Drummond, of Winnipeg, who has been in London arranging to float the Alberta & Athabasca Railway has arrived here with Mr. Lloyd, who represents wealthy English capitalists. Notice of application has been made to parliament for an extension of the charter of the Alberta & Athabasca, enabling the road to extend its line from Calgary to the International Boundary. Both parties will work in union. Today Messrs. Drummond and Lloyd had an interview with Mr. Dewdney concerning the land subsidy, which has been granted the road. Mr. Lloyd will accompany Mr. Drummond to the Northwest and look over the roads and lands with a view to making an agreement for the construction of the road.

A Missionary on the Indians.
The Christian Guardian of January 2nd published the following:—“Rev. John McLean, during the past eight years a missionary among the Blood Indians of the Fort Macleod district in the Northwest, favored us with a call last Saturday. Dr. McLean's work among the Indians has been attended with very beneficial results, and he intends during his expected stay of three months in this province to lecture and preach in the interest of Northwest missions. He has many valuable suggestions as to the condition and improvement of those under his missionary charge. He has seen a steady moral and mental progress among the Indians, but believes there is a great deal yet to be done. He thinks there are objectionable features of official dealing with them; for example, the regular supply of rations which tends to make them shiftless and dependent. He is in favor of compulsory education among the Indians, and regards the establishment of boarding schools upon the reserves as the only successful way of solving the problem.”

STOCK.

A \$20,000 Cow.

The Mark Lane Express notes the death, last July, in her 13th year, of a famous cow, the third duchess of Hillhurst. She was bred by the Hon. M. H. Cookrane, Canada, and imported to this country with several other animals in 1887. She was sold by auction at Bowness in September of the same year and bought by the late Sir R. Loder for 4,100 gs. (\$2,787), her nearly full sister, Fifth Duchess of Hillhurst, realizing 4,300 gs. (\$2,760). She was by 2nd Duke of Hillhurst from the well known American cow, 10th Duchess of Airdie, whose produce in the United States and Canada brought such extraordinary sums. At Whittlebury she produced five calves—four heifers and one bull. Two of these heifers were by Lord Fitzhardinge's Duke of Connaught, and the bull Duke of Whittlebury, afterwards used in the herd, was by Mr. Oliver's well-known bull Grand Duke 41st. She was a large-framed, handsome yearling when sold, and grew into a good-sized rooney cow and a number of her descendants are still in the Whittlebury herd.

Sale of Fat Stock at Windsor.

The annual sale of fat stock, the property of her Majesty the Queen, took place at the Prince Consort's Show Farm, Windsor, on Wednesday of last week, when there was a large gathering of butchers and others from all parts of the country. In proposing Mr. Tait's health at the luncheon, the Mayor of Windsor referred to the fact that the thirteen animals sent from the royal herds to the fat stock show gained twelve prizes and an honor.

It is said that a more even distribution over England could hardly have been made than resulted from the sale. The prices made were good, something like 20 per cent. for cattle and 30 per cent. for sheep being paid over market prices for the honor of selling joints from animals fed by the Queen. The top lot of crossbred lambs made from \$26.25 to \$31.25; Hampshire wethers from \$16.25 to \$20; Southdown lambs from \$11 to \$12.50; four year old Highland wethers from \$14.50 to \$17.60; and Welsh wethers (four year old) from \$11 to \$12.50. For the bullocks there was a good competition, the highest price made being 51 guineas for very fine and level Devon steer, and another making 42, and Shorthorns up to 34 guineas.

ANTHRAX.

The Government's suggestion as to its eradication.

The following circular to owners and managers of cattle ranches in the Northwest Territories, has been distributed by the Department of Agriculture:—

“It is represented to this Department by its Veterinary Inspector, Mr. D. McEachran, F.R.C.V., that cases of Anthrax in the form known as ‘Black Quarter,’ which occurs occasionally in young grow-

ing cattle in all parts of the world, were detected at several points in the ranching country in the District of Alberta, N. W. T., during the last autumn.

“It is, therefore, thought better to explain that this disease, which is a very fatal one, requires the co-operation of every one interested in stock, to prevent its recurrence; and at the same time the infection of more or less numerous localities in the ranches.

“Every carcass of an animal which dies of this disease becomes a source of infection for others, not only immediately after death, and in the vicinity of the spot where the animal is buried; but for many years afterwards at long distances, owing to the spores or germs of the disease being carried by the medium of water or the atmosphere.

“It is the duty, therefore, of all ranch owners and managers for their own protection and the preservation of their own cattle, as well as their neighbors, to take the most effective measures known for destroying and preventing the spread of the infectious spores or germs.

“All persons in charge of ranches are, therefore, earnestly requested to trace with the bodies of any animals dying suddenly on their ranches, and to remove them from the proximity of water, either springs, streams, lakes or sloughs; and after taking the necessary precautions to prevent the fire spreading on the prairie, to burn the carcass and bury the ashes.

“This can be best done at the present time when there is sufficient snow on the ground to prevent danger from prairie fires and before the snow fall is sufficient to cover the bodies.

“It is desired that the accompanying form may be filled in and sent to the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

“It is greatly important that any sick animal should be immediately and strictly isolated for the protection of the herd. It is further important that any animal suspected of being unwell should, also, be isolated.

By order of the Minister of Agriculture.

JOHN LOWE,

Deputy Minister of Agriculture,
Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, 24th November, 1888.

A GOOD OLD FASHIONED DINNER.

How the men on one of Sir John Lyster Kaye's Farms Spent Christmas.

SWIFT CURRENT, January 2.—From time immemorial Swift Current has been noted for its hospitality, and good fellowship. Their may be, in some measure, accounted for by the fact that old Frank Jones was the first to put down his stake here.

Although the old fellow has gone some 5 or 6 hundred miles further west, his long residence here has left its mark, this Xmas at any rate, the good old town has maintained its character.

The hall given by Mr. Sutton, the proprietor of the C. P. R. during the Xmas eve was a brilliant affair. Nothing could exceed the kindness and bonhomie of the proprietor's brother, the proprietor himself being absent on account of sickness. Altogether it was a great success.

At Sir John Lyster Kaye's farm on Xmas day, a large party assembled to partake of a good old fashioned dinner, thanks to the hospitality of Mr. P. E. Pelham Clinton.

The men numbering some twenty were all present, and this being their first Xmas in this country, it was of some interest to your correspondent, who was fortunate to be one of the guests, to notice how they would take to ‘this’ Canada of ours. It was very gratifying to hear the favorable expressions on all sides and the hopeful remarks as to the future.

As to the banquet, it was nothing less, the table literally groaning under the good things so abundantly provided. Turkey, geese, the true honored roast of beef, plum puddings and mince pies, being prominent among other luxuries.

The toast of ‘The Queen’ was drunk with musical honors, and so enthusiastically that, for the moment, your correspondent thought he must surely be in the company of a lot of Canadians.

Then followed other toasts and songs, and the way in which ‘the old home’ was remembered is a sufficient guarantee that they are the right sort of fellows to stick so any home they might adopt.

The toast of the chairman, Mr. Clinton, was received with so much feeling and met with such a hearty response, that one would almost think he was the grandfather of the whole crowd. There was no mistake about the sincerity of the response to this toast, and when the proposer (Mr. W. J. Knight) remarked ‘he is a thorough gentleman’ the cheers and musical honors that followed effectually put an end to any further remarks he might have intended to make.

In response, Mr. Clinton said he was highly pleased with the lot of men under him. It would be his study to make the farm not only a stopping place, but a home for them, and so long as they continued to do their duty he should consider them his friends. He had perfect confidence in them all individually, but must say that he had been agreeably surprised at the extra efficiency shown by Messrs. Middleton and Smart, and in proposing the former's health, said he was one of the most intelligent, hardworking foremen he had ever seen. Referring again to Wm. Smart, Mr. Clinton said that he had shown great skill in the management of the horses, and it was mainly due to his efficiency that the company had not lost some of their brood mares, he must admit that such care and skill was very advantageous to the welfare of the farm and was duly appreciated; he felt deeply the great kindness and good feeling shown in the cordial way in which the toast had been received.

In response, Mr. Smart said he was much obliged to Mr. Clinton for the kind way in which he had mentioned his name, and he would like to say just this: that Mr. Clinton was a gentleman whom he intended to stick to through thick and thin, for said he, he makes me feel that he is not so much my employer as he is my friend.

In proposing the health of Mr. Faugnar, the contractor, Mr. Clinton, said the thanks of all the men were due to him, not only for the expeditions way in which the buildings had been put up, but also for his kindness in allowing them to

take shelter in the house before it had been handed over to the company.

In reply, Mr. Faugnar lauded Mr. Clinton and his men for their co-operation and assistance in getting the buildings up.

The toast of the ‘Mounted Police’ was responded to by several members of the force who were present, and was well received.

Mr. Clinton is evidently very highly esteemed by all; he holds 12 or 14 honorary certificates of efficiency from various agricultural societies and colleges, and Sir John Kaye is fortunate in having secured the services of such a man. The perfect order which prevails in this establishment, and the regularity with which everything is carried on, proves that he is a gentleman who thoroughly understands the details and duties of his position, and under such a manager and with such a lot of fellows, the Swift Current farm must be a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. Middleton, the resident foreman and housekeeper, are the right people in the right place, and the way in which the dinner was cooked and served gave universal satisfaction. The festivities were kept up till the small hours, and a happier Christmas Xmas party it would be a very difficult matter to find.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

A Stranger Arrested on the C. P. R. Train on Suspicion of Forgery and Dismissed.

Acting on instructions from the chief of the Winnipeg police force, Chief Dillabough boarded the train on the west-bound express Wednesday and with the assistance of the porter, had soon aroused a portly gentleman of middle age, who was comfortably sleeping in his berth, to inform him that he was under arrest on a charge of forgery alleged to have been committed in Helena, Montana. The roused passenger strongly protested that it was a case of mistaken identity; that he was not the Helena forger, that his name was Hart and not Jones, the name of the forger. Chief Dillabough's instructions, were however explicit. He was ordered to arrest a passenger on the Pullman of heavy build over 200 pounds, with dark moustache and dark soled boots. This was the only man answering to the description and the officer had to do his duty and told his prisoner so. The passenger, hastily dressing, left with the chief and spent the remainder of the night with him at the Royal Hotel. Telegrams were at once despatched to Helena and Winnipeg giving descriptions of the prisoner. He spent the morning taking in the town, accompanied by the chief, and in the afternoon was taken before Mayor Sutherland for examination. Mr. J. R. Costigan, Crown Attorney, appeared for the crown and Mr. E. P. Davis for the prisoner. During the proceedings, a telegram was received from Helena, saying that if the prisoner weighed more than 200 pounds he was not the man wanted, and as he had been weighed, and weighed the balance at 200 pounds, the Mayor at once discharged him.

The following despatch from Helena, dated January 6th, was published in the American papers about the swindle:—“It has just leaked out that the First National bank of this city was the victim of a slick swindle a few days ago. On New Year's day a man named Jones appeared in Helena presumably from Butte. He represented himself to be a wealthy contractor from Coeur d'Alene and began to look over the city for a residence, saying he wanted to bring here his mother who lived in Butte. He bought a lot in the residence portion of Helena for \$950, agreeing to pay for it next day, January 2nd. He went to the First National bank with the man of whom he bought the lot and presented a draft on the First National bank of Spokane Falls for \$2,500. He told the cashier that to save the trouble of identification he had his signature sent over from the Butte bank. The cashier found the signature all right and referred to the records where he found the same signature in connection with some business done in November, when Jones had cashed for several large amounts. The cashier at once cashed the draft on Jones' request, retaining \$900 to pay for the lot on presentation of the deed, and paying Jones the \$1,600 in cash. Jones left that day, and has not been heard of since. The next day the seller of the lot called at the bank, deposited the deed and received the \$900, Jones having previously requested the cashier to hold the deed until he called for it. Yesterday the bank received a notice from its Spokane Falls exchange that the draft in question was originally made out for \$25 and had been raised to \$2,500. It is barely possible that Jones may be innocent, but the presumption is that he is a very slick swindler.”

The Great Carnival.

Tremendous interest is being taken in the approaching carnival in Montreal. The Governor-General is to inaugurate the festivities and give the entire week's programme his patronage. State Governors, Lieut. Governors and prominent people from all parts of the world are to view the spectacles. Letters are pouring in to the committee from Europe and the United States enquiring for particulars. The committee are making extraordinary preparations for a magnificent carnival. Those who cannot go to Montreal for a week of wondrous merriment will, we hear, find the events in all their marvellous beauty re-produced in the Carnival Number of the Montreal Star, which it is said will be a perfectly stunning number.

AN AFTERNOON ALARM.

The Church of the Redeemer on Fire but Saved by the Promptitude of the Firemen.

The people of the town were roused from the occupation of keeping their stores cozy, Sunday afternoon, by the unusual clamor of the fire alarm. While the bell was still ringing, the chemical engine left the station and started in the direction of the Church of the Redeemer. The Sunday School was being held at the time the fire was discovered. Rev. A. W. F. Cooper, the rector, was seated in the south-east corner of the body of the church, near the smoke flue from the furnace, and noticed a smell of smoke. He had scarcely noticed this when one of the boys of his class drew his attention to the fact that smoke was issuing through the cracks of the floor immediately under his chair. Mr. Cooper, at once realizing the position of affairs, despatched one of the boys of his class to the fire station to give the alarm, and dismissed the Sunday School as quietly as possible. As there was but very little smoke, and no flames, the children were not in any degree alarmed. In a wonderfully short space of time, the chemical engine, manned by Chief Stettin and a dozen of the men of the brigade arrived, and a line of the hose was at once run through the church to the spot where the smoke had been noticed issuing. A few blows of the nozzle showed that the fire was spreading from the space between the floor of the church and ceiling of the basement to the space between the outer and inner walls. The stream was at once turned on and as much of the flames as could be got at from above drizzled out in a few seconds. The hose was then run through the basement, and a few more gallons of the solution had soon quenched the last spark. For the church authorities do not deem it worth while to put in a claim on the insurers of the building. The trading nature of the damage is all the more remarkable when it is remembered that at the time the brigade arrived the flames had got a good start in the woodwork, and in a few seconds more would have got beyond control. The fire started from the smoke pipe of the furnace and was due entirely to the defective nature of the brickwork surrounding it in the floor of the church. The damage was repaired in a few minutes, service was held as usual in the evening, and altogether the fire amounted to little more than an afternoon's sensation.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S CIGAR.

Lord Stanley Makes a Little Sensation in Toronto.

Lord Stanley has created some amusement for those Toronto people fond of discussing etiquette, by smoking cigars on the street. The Toronto World thus relates the incident which gave rise to this discussion:—“King street's sunny side had its usual large turnout of promenaders yesterday afternoon. Among the throng was an easy going couple, well but quietly dressed, the gentleman wearing dark clothes and a silk hat, and carrying an umbrella, while the lady wore a very plain dress of black casemere, short seal coat and black bonnet with red wings. They walked slowly and took in all the sights. They attracted little attention and were only recognized by a few, who remarked, ‘There go Lord and Lady Stanley.’ Their Excellencies had been out for a stroll. What was freely commented upon was the fact that His Excellency was contentedly smoking a cigar, which many claimed was not in good taste; while a few averred that it was quite common in England for a gentleman to smoke while walking in the streets with a lady.”

The Yarn Denied.

The following communication explains itself:—

Coburg, Jan. 7th, 1889.

H. COLLINS, Esq.,
DEAR SIR,—I am not chairman of the board, but have been secretary for the last 29 years, so I speak for him. The teacher you refer to is not as black as he is painted. This is not the first time the mountain in labor has brought forth a mouse. The young man never skipped out of Coburg, he left to enjoy his holidays among his old friends, and I testify to the fact that after the dastardly letter appeared in the Toronto News, he was in my office on a matter of business and showed no sign. The facts of the case are these. He called up a somewhat noted pupil for disobedience of orders; when told to put out his hand, instead of that he put them in his pockets and assumed a warlike attitude. The strap was used very freely on other parts of the body, and if some reports be true, the consequences were terrible. Part of the time the head master was looking on, and as the youth was making his escape or trying to do so, as he was passing the head master took part in the fray, seized his collar and turned him where he ought to go. This little incident was magnified with a severe blow with the fist of said head master. Great was the excitement in the family and in the town, but when Mr. McIlenny gave his version, the troubled waters were soon calmed down. I will mention the fact that the head master suggested to Smart that the punishment better be suspended. Some say the strap blows numbered over sixty, others eighty. Whatever the injury was the boy was able to use his skates the same afternoon. I think I have given sufficient personally. I think the punishment was too severe; perhaps the teacher was unduly excited, but I don't believe blows the best punishment. Mr. Short has my best wishes. I hope my long story may be satisfactory. Wishing you a Happy New Year. I sign myself,
Dr. FOWELL,
Secretary.

Buster on Cowboys.

Col. John W. Buster, manager of the Continental Cattle Company's ranches in Texas and Montana, in conversation with a News reporter, remarked the greatest change to be noticed in connection with the range is in the cowboy. The hey-day cowboy, whose appetite ran largely to tarantula juice, whose sole idea of pleasure and enjoyment was in shooting up frontier towns until the houses looked like porous plaster, has fled either to Mexico on the west or the magazines on the east. He no longer rides into saloons and makes his broncho jump out of the window, carrying glass, ash and all with him, and the citizens no longer find it necessary to yank the women and children into the storm pit until he makes a foot-bail and a glass-bail at some tune of the village, and yells ‘‘Irot out your population.’’ This thing of shooting up towns is no longer fashionable, because as the population increased it got too expensive. It always involved the death of several, both on the side of the cowboys and on the side of the enemy, the city marshal and posse, and then the latter had a way of sleuth hounding the others and making it exceedingly uncomfortable for them. The cowboy has laid aside his six-shooter, put a regulator on his appetite and reformed his ideas of the aesthetic. He, however, still wears high-heeled boots, chews navy tobacco and sports big spurs. But he is a different man from the cowboy of a few years ago. There are, however, a good many fellows in the old states who read about the cowboy in the illustrated Sunday papers, and come west to engage in the business, and when you run across a bad man in cowboy attire these days you can set him down as a tenderfoot who has gone in the day after the fact.—Dallas (Tex.) News.

For Sweet Charity's Sake.

With the permission of the president of the club, Judge Roiban and Mr. Miquel have deposited \$5 each in the hands of the mayor, to abide the result of a three pair of stones match of 21 cuts, to be played on two afternoons this week. The loser's stake is to go to the benefit of the poor. Any parties betting on the result are requested to deposit the stakes also with the mayor, the loser's stake to be added to the fund and used for the benefit of the poor.

A Terrible Night.

READING, Pa., 10.—This was the saddest night in the history of Reading. One hundred human beings are in mourning. A cyclone swept the northern section of this city yesterday afternoon and laid waste everything within its reach, and with terrible loss of life. A most reliable computation today, is not less than sixty persons have been killed outright and a hundred injured. Among the buildings struck by the storm was the Reading silk mill, in which 175 girls were employed. The walls gave way and the floors fell down, one on top of the other and carried their great mass of human beings to the bottom. Stricks piled up in the greatest confusion, while amid the hurricane the whistling, rushing and roaring of the wind could be heard terrible cries for succor sent up to heaven. It was a moment that tried men's souls, and almost simultaneously with the fall of the building came the awful cries for relief. Girls with blackened faces, bruised and broken limbs, their clothing tattered and torn, dragged themselves from the ruins. It is probable that 100 escaped or were dragged out by their friends. These, of course, worked on the upper floors and were thrown near the top of the debris. At some places bricks were piled twenty feet deep, and underneath are lying human bodies by the score. It is believed there must be fully 90 bodies under these ruins.

A seven story building in course of erection at Pittsburg was blown down. Eight were killed and 35 wounded.

Distressed Dakota.

FAROE, Dak., 9.—A most pitiable story comes from Wau's County in the northern part of this territory. Two men sent with provisions to distribute among the Norwegian settlers report having distributed the goods as fairly as they could among 15 families, but said they knew of between 40 and 50 families that were equally destitute. In these are an average of 5 or 6 little ones to a family without trousers, coats, dresses, stockings, shoes, caps, mittens, or anything but a few old rags. They had been in the hope of getting a good crop and then buying clothes when the crop was sold. When the frost came and spoiled their crop they had absolutely nothing on which to live. They are mainly Lutherans. As they did not complain their real condition was long unknown. Most of them have been living on a kind of porridge made by cooking up their frozen green wheat and oats. One family had not seen any flour for six weeks. Nearly all were entirely out of flour. Some have enough to last 3 or 4 days yet, but no potatoes or turnips. The people have been dividing with each other while their provisions lasted. One woman had nothing on but a thin calico dress and was bare footed. When given a few clothes she first laughed, then cried and begged her benefactors. Rev. C. M. Riches, Park River, Walsh County, will distribute any goods sent for the sufferers.

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of Canada, deceased. Notice is hereby given
pursuant to the Imperial Statute 22 and 23 Vic-
toria, cap. 22, that all persons claiming to be
creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims or
demands upon or affecting the estate of the said
Edwin John Winterbottom, deceased, who died
on or about the 22nd day of October, 1884, are
to be required on or before the 25th day of
January next, to send particulars, in writing, in
writing to the undersigned Advocate for Mrs.
Rose Winterbottom, of St. George's, afore-
said, the widow, and also Executor on 23 in
the will of the said deceased, and to whom Pro-
bate was granted on the 10th inst. of November,
1888, by the Supreme Court of the Northwest
Territories of Canada, at Calgary, in the North-
west Judicial District. And notice is hereby given
that after the 25th day of January next, the
assets of the said deceased will be distributed
having regard to the claims then notified.
Dated this 22nd day of Nov. 1888.

A. L. BERNARD,
Advocate for the said Executor,
Stephen Avenue, Calgary, Alta. N.W.T.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will
be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next
session thereof, in 1889, to incorporate the
Assiniboia, Edmonton & Ogishia Railway Com-
pany with power to construct a railway from
some point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at
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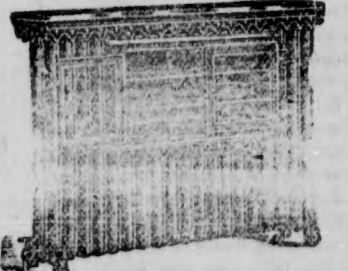
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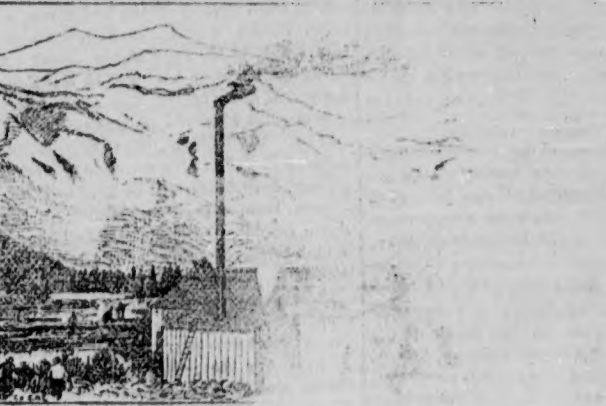
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THE WEEK'S LOCAL NEWS

Wednesday.

Constable Barker does not improve in his condition.

Mr. G. M. C. Ross, of Fort Saskatchewan, is registered at the Royal Hotel.

Mr. Magnus Begg, government Indian agent, at the Blackfoot reserve, is in town at the Royal Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Goode, of Swift Current, came in by No. 1 express, and are registered at the Royal Hotel.

Mr. Alexander McMillan, manager of the Stewart Ranch, is in town from Pincher Creek.

Mr. A. J. Patton, assistant inspector of post office, returned from Edmonton by last stage and went on to Winnipeg immediately.

During the union prayer meeting in connection with the week of prayer, which is to be held in Knox Church, will be opened at half past seven instead of at eight o'clock.

The annual meeting of the congregation of Knox Church will be held in the church at half past eight. A full attendance of members and adherents is desired. Reports will be given in from the various committees and boards of the church.

The race at the Star rink last evening between Green who skated a mile and three quarters, and Alex. Anny who ran a mile and a half, was a rather tame affair. The skater won by about ten feet.

There was the largest attendance of the season at the Star rink last evening. The ice was in good condition, the music furnished by "E." division band was splendid, and the skaters appeared to enjoy themselves immensely.

The committee of the Calgary institute appointed to procure quarters for the library and reading room has rented Mr. Geddes' building on Stephen Avenue, the first door west of the Herald Block. The work of fitting the premises up will be proceeded with at once.

The Canadian Pacific is offering a cheap excursion rate to Montreal for the winter carnival. Beginning January 28th and continuing until February 2nd, the company will issue excursion tickets good to return within sixty days from Calgary to Montreal and return at \$60. During the same time return tickets extending as far as Quebec will be issued at \$62, to St. John at \$72 and to Halifax \$75.

Thursday.

Constable Barker is slightly better today.

The Bank of Montreal has begun advertising for tenders for the fine new building for a Calgary branch.

Messrs. W. F. Cochrane and Wm. F. Parker have been appointed members of the Board Committee of Stock District No. One, Alameda, vice the late Mr. Frank Strong and Mr. W. Bell who has resigned.

The last number of the Northwest Territories Gazette contains notice of the appointment of a number of new justices of the peace. The following new justices have been appointed in Alberta:—Wm. L. Wood, Athabasca Landing and Albert E. Bannister, Davisburg.

The Rev. Father Leduc has requested the announcement to be made that a magnificent Bible in two volumes, beautifully bound, and illustrated by Dore's master pieces will be raffled on the 19th of March next at the Presbytery. This handsome book, which is worth \$100, was given as a present to the Reverend Fathers and they are willing to sacrifice it for the sake of the splendid new church now in course of construction. Tickets, placed at a dollar each can be procured of Mr. Wm. Sadler.

The gentleman detained here by the police yesterday on suspicion of being Jones, the Helena, Montana, swindler, left for the East by this morning's express. While waterfully concerned at his detention, he expressed to Chief Dillabough, before leaving, his gratitude for the treatment he had received at the hands of the Calgary authorities. He announced his intention of tracing to its source the suspicion which led the chief of the Winnipeg police to order his arrest here. There is still considerable mystery as to the identity of the late prisoner of our police force. He positively refused to say who he was, or where he came from, giving as a excuse, his desire to avoid causing his friends trouble.

Friday.

The Victoria Colonist of the 8th inst., remarked:—"R. D. Rankin, of Calgary, is a guest of the Briard."

Corporal Penzance of the N. W. M. P. has been transferred to the headquarters troop at Regina.

The Lieutenant Governor expects to pay Calgary a visit some time before the end of this month or early in February.

It is hoped that arrangements can be made for opening the library and reading room of the Calgary Institute some day next week.

Mr. James Riddell will take the place of Constable Barker on the town police staff till Barker recovers. Riddell goes on duty at 10 tonight.

The curling Club is hopeful of being able to secure a special club rate for its members to the Montreal winter carnival. If a satisfactory rate can be secured, Calgary will be represented by a couple of rinks at the great national bonspiel.

Another bunk forger is wanted in the person of Alexander Allan. The particular crime with which he is charged is having raised a cheque on the Montreal Bank at Montreal. His age is about 40. He is a medium sized man, sallow complexion, at the time he left Montreal he wore a dark brown moustache. A reward of \$500 is offered for his capture. Chief of police Dillabough, of Calgary is prepared to give full particulars of the man wanted.

Now that from two to three inches of snow has fallen, the chief of police wishes the public to understand that the sidewalks must be cleared off or he will be obliged to make an example of a few delinquents. The council are determined that the snow by-law must be complied with. They consider that as there is so seldom any snow to speak of here, that it is no worth while adopting any public system of removing it. The snow usually being very light could be swept off the walks in a few minutes at first, but if allowed to remain, under the influence of the sun it partially melts, then freezes at night, making the walks more dangerous than if there was a greater depth of snow. Clear off your walks and save a cool from the police.

Saturday.

Mr. Harry Brown, manager for Hull, Proulx & Co's, establishment at Calgary, returned this morning from a visit to his friends at Collingwood, Ontario.

A couple of boats have been seen several times lately about the timber on the Elbow River, in the neighbourhood of the source Reserve.

The western horizon, from daybreak until about half past eight this morning, was a surprisingly beautiful glow of purple and violet tints.

The Morning Owl, replying to the Regina Leader's attack on Mr. Adair Burgess, says it does not intend to allow a number of its staff to be blackguarded by any whiskey soaked bummer who happens to control a newspaper.

Up to the time of the snowstorm Wednesday, cattle and horses on the ranges were reported to be in fine condition as on the first of November. Since the snow fell, a few stockmen have taken in odd weak cattle to feed, but the snow is not deep enough to prevent the average range animal from getting all the feed it wants.

Mr. Robert Whittle, of Peterborough, who stopped off at Calgary about six weeks ago while on his way to Banff for the benefit of his health, has arrived here once more and is stopping at the Grand Central. Mr. Whittle, who intends remaining in Calgary for a couple of weeks, appears, his friends will be glad to learn, to have recuperated wonderfully at the health resort in the Mountains and speaks in high terms of praise of the benefits of the baths.

There was great excitement at the Star Rink, last evening while the rinks of Collins vs Grant were playing their match in the series for the president's medal. In Collins' rink, Kennedy, Brader and Hogg. In Grant's, Leeson, Newson and Cox. The game was 21 ends. Grant's rink made 16 and Collins' 15. Up to near the end of this match the odds were greatly in favor of Mr. Collins' Rink, which at one time had scored 15 points to two by their opponents.

Monday

Roadmaster Perry's con-skin coat was stolen from the C. P. R. station yesterday. Bow River Lodge, A. F. & A. M. meets this evening.

Mr. Wm. Pollock of Maple Creek, advertiser his ranch, implements and 200 head of stock for sale.

Mr. J. K. Shirley, who had several years experience in the business at Brandon, has secured a license as auctioneer and will carry on business in Calgary.

J. D. Lauder was driving along the lane in rear of Dr. Lafferty's this afternoon when he drove clear into a big excavation dug for goodness knows what. The driver was not hurt; but his horse's legs were seriously cut up and it took a long time and considerable trouble to get the wagon out.

Chief Dillabough wrote to St. Paul to enquire about the man Hart under arrest here last week. Contrary to expectations, the man does not appear to be known in St. Paul; but the Minneapolis police expect to be able to find out who he is. The chief of the Winnipeg police, in ordering his arrest here, was acting, it appears, under direct instructions from Helena, Montana.

Tuesday.

Mr. D.H. Macdowell, of Prince Albert, M.P. for Saskatchewan, has arrived in town, via Edmonton.

Messrs D. W. Davis, M. P. of Macleod, and W. G. Conrad of Fort Benton, are here on business in connection with the local branch of I. G. Baker and company.

The Macleod Board of Trade has wired Mayor Shelton announcing its intention of co-operating with the Calgary committee in securing the charter of the Calgary, Alberta & Montana Railway. A board of charter applicants has been appointed and a fund raised to assist in defraying the expenses.

There would seem to exist two very substantial reasons why the town of Calgary, N. W. T., should have a flour mill. The first is that 200 car loads of flour were imported into that town last year; and the second, that there is no mill nearer than Regina, a distance of 400 miles.—Dominion Mechanical & Milling News.

Mr. D. W. Marsh, manager of T. C. Power & Bro's house at Calgary, Alberta, was the other day elected mayor of that thriving city by acclamation. Mr. Marsh was in 1875 a resident Merchant of Fort Benton and is well known to many of our citizens.—[Mont] River Press.

The contest among the curlers for the president's medal is being gradually narrowed down. The match between Mr. Costigan's and Mr. Snyder's rinks was concluded yesterday. Mr. Costigan's rink winning by a score of 31 to 3. Mr. Costigan's rink consisted of Messrs Fletcher, Kelly, Herdman and Costigan; and Mr. Snyder's of Messrs Dick, Claxton, Frieze and Snyder.

A SAD CHECK.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Edwin R. Rogers.

Kind, sociable and accomplished, Mrs. Edwin R. Rogers, has been since arriving here one of the most popular ladies in Calgary. Although slightly indisposed for about a week, she was generally considered to be in the enjoyment of her accustomed vigor. Small wonder then, that the whole public of the town received a severe shock when the news began to be circulated about town this morning that this amiable lady was dead. It is a long time since such a painful sensation has been caused in Calgary as was the result of this sad announcement; doubly sad by reason of its startling suddenness. About a week ago, Mrs. Rogers complained of a sore throat. Dr. A. W. Lafferty was summoned and she has been under that practitioner's attendance since then. The indisposition was not considered serious, the treatment administered was of the mildest description, and she was not even confined to her room. Last evening she retired as usual, not complaining of any particular indisposition. About three o'clock this morning, Mr. Rogers chancing to be roused found her awake and enquired how she felt; receiving the reply that she was all right. About five, Mr. Rogers awoke to find Mrs. Rogers gasping for breath and unconscious. The household was aroused and messengers despatched for medical men. Doctors Lindsay, Lafferty and Pare, soon arrived and held a consultation. An examination of the throat revealed the fact that the respiratory channels were perfectly clear. The case was difficult to diagnose and all that could be done was to administer stimulants. All was to no avail, however, and about eight o'clock Mrs. Rogers passed peacefully away, without having regained consciousness.

The estimable lady, who thus breathed her last, came of an old English family. Her grandfather, Mr. Hutchinson Clark, settled in Hamilton, Ont., when it was a very small place. He was an architect, and the "Ambitious City" owes much of the architectural beauty of which it boasts to his taste. He was mayor of the city for one term. Mr. Thomas Clark, father of Mrs. Rogers, entered the customs department when a comparatively young man, in Dundas, Ont., at which place he remained for twenty years. He was afterwards appointed to the responsible position of Appraiser in Her Majesty's Customs at Winnipeg, which position he still holds. Mr. Clark is widely known as Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, A. F. & A. M. His family are noted for their musical talents, one of Mrs. Rogers' brothers, Mr. Hutchinson Clark, being ranked as one of the leading artists on the American lyric stage. It will be remembered that this gentleman met with a serious accident during an opera performance a couple of months ago. Mrs. Rogers herself was a musician of decided taste, and recognized as a leader in society in Winnipeg, up to the time she came to Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were married in Winnipeg three years ago last October and deceased, who was thirty years of age, leaves two children, a little girl two years old and a baby boy about eight weeks old.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed owing to the uncertainty as to the continuance of the present cemetery.

Mr. Rogers and the bereaved little ones have the heartfelt sympathy of all classes of the community in this sad affliction.

Dissatisfaction in the Church.

Rome 12.—The Propaganda has given instructions to Cardinal Melchers to report to the Pope on the complaint of the Catholic bishops of America that the German Catholics residing in districts chiefly inhabited by the Irish of the same faith are dissatisfied and demand the establishment of special parishes and schools. The selection of Cardinal Melchers to make the investigation and representation indicates a decision in favor of the German demands.

Stanley's Whereabouts.

LONDON 15.—The Chronicle asserts that the government will be informed of Henry M. Stanley's safety long before the expedition led by Thomas A. Stevens can reach the east coast of Africa, and in the meantime recent letters from Stanley will be published in London. There are certain reasons, the Chronicle says for keeping secret at present the whereabouts of the explorer.

Discarded the Pen for the Sword.

PARIS 15.—Mr. Rochfort, editor of L'Intransigent, fought a duel with Mr. Lissagary, editor of LaBaillollier. Swords were the weapons used. Both combatants were wounded, Lissagary dangerously.



SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Indian Industrial School," will be received at this office until Wednesday, 6th February, 1900, for the several works required in the erection of an Indian Industrial School near Regina, N. W. T.

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